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[Despatch Abstract.]

Bicycles — Agrl. Dept — Agrl. Research Station, Hagari R.C. Secretary Sr. — Special purchase — Sanctioned.

AGRICULTURAL DEPARTMENT

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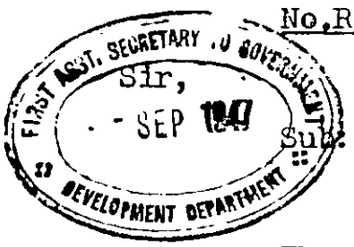
From
M.S. Sivaraman Esqr., I.C.S.,
Director of Agriculture,
Chepauk, Madras.

To
The Secretary to Government,
Development Department,
Fort St. George, Madras.

No.Roc.W.1.1215/47 Dated 11th September 1947.



Sir,

Sub:- Deadstock - Bicycle for the Agricultural Research Station (Hagari R.S.) Bellary P.O. - Purchase - Sanction requested.

The Agricultural Research Station, Hagari is situated over ten miles from the headquarters town of Bellary and about a mile and a half from the nearest railway station. Hagari on the M.&.S.M. Railway. The necessity for a bicycle has been felt for some years, but this had to be postponed during war-time as it was difficult to obtain one at reasonable price then.

2. The headquarters of the nearest Veterinary Doctor is Bellary and all veterinary aid required in connection with the treatment of the work animals and dairy herd numbering about thirty has to be requisitioned very often at odd hours by sending a special messenger to Bellary. There have been occasions when sick animals were in critical and collapsing condition necessitating sending of messengers even at midnight.

3. Similarly there is no doctor either private or Government any where within a radius of ten miles, the nearest place being Bellary. Hagari is a malarial place where the type of malaria has some times been of a serious nature. In times of urgent need, medical aid has to be requisitioned only from Bellary by sending special messengers at odd hours.

4. Bellary is the nearest post and telegraph office for this station. Very often urgent tapals have to be sent to the Railway Station for posting in the evening at 4-30 P.M. affixing late fee stamp. The peons and members of the farm have to run up to the railway station a number of times for booking seeds and parcels and taking delivery of parcels.

5. The quarters of the Superintendent is situated about a mile from his office and the Laboratories and the 17 houses of the Farm Staff are situated in two colonies one mile apart. The work of the Superintendent engages him practically the whole of the day and sometimes till late in the night. Notes and instructions have to be sent to members of the staff at this distance of one mile a number of times every day. To add to these, of late the correspondence and general scientific work of the station has largely expanded and every minute has to be saved in order to aim at efficiency. The provision of a cycle for the Farm will contribute largely to the prompt and quick disposal of work at the station.

6. I, therefore, request that Government may be pleased to sanction the initial purchase of a bicycle for the Agricultural Research Station, Hagari at a cost not exceeding Rs.200/-. Necessary funds have been provided in my Revised Estimate for 1947-48 under "40.c. Agriculture, Experimental Farms - A. Agricultural Research Station - 2. Contingencies - Purchase of Deadstock.

V. SEETHARAMA SERVAI,
for DIRECTOR OF AGRICULTURE.

True copy/Forwarded/By order.

V. Seetharama 11/9/47
PERSONAL ASSISTANT.

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SUBJECT :— Bicycles – Agrl. Dept – Agrl Research Station, Hagari R.S. – Bellary Dt – Initial purchase sanctioned.

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Order Ms. ~~Resolution Note~~ No. 4823 , dated 10. 10. 1947

Sanction is accorded to the initial purchase by the D.A. of a bicycle at a cost not exceeding Rs. 200/= (Rupees Two hundred only) for use at the Agrl. Research Station, Hagari.

2. The expenditure should be debited to "40 - C - Agriculture - Experimental Farms - A - Agricultural Research Stations - 2 - Contingencies" (Voted) ~~- Purchase of Dead Stock~~.

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To The D.A.
The A.G. thro' Finance
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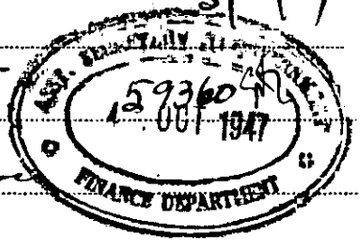

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